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To:

All Supervisors, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

From:

Joe Magats, ASA, Deputy Chief, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

Re:

Chicago Police Officers Kallatt Mohammed, Star# 14122, 2nd District

Ronald Watts, Star# 2640, 2nd District

Date:

February 14, 2012

Cc:

Shauna Boliker, First Assistant

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As you may already know, Chicago Police Officers Kallatt Mohammed, Star# 14122 and Sgt. Ronald Watts, Star# 2640 were charged in a federal complaint with the offense of Theft of Government Funds. MIS is conducting a search of CRIMES to determine whether the officers are witnesses on any pending felony cases. Once I have the results of that search, I will forward the results to you. If your unit does not have a computer case management system, please have your ASAs check their files and see whether they have any cases on their call where either Officers Mohammed or Watts are witnesses on any pending cases. If either is a witness on the case please determine whether the case can be proved without calling the officer as a witness. If the case can be proved be proved without calling the officer as a witness. If the case can be proved

without the officer's testimony you should proceed on the case.

If you have a case where we cannot proceed without either officer's testimony and the case is a violent crime, involves death or serious bodily injury, or is a case where you or your ASAs feel that the case should go forward please contact Fabio or me prior to taking any action. Also, please have your ASAs keep track of how many of Officer Mohammed's and Sgt. Watts' cases they have and how many of those cases were dismissed.

If you or your ASAs have any questions, please call me. Thank you.